# THE EVENING NEWS.

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## Jackson's Gun Store

It makes me weary to see how cheap Bicycles are being sold in Benton Harbor this season. Next year they will not be worth more than $1.75 for a great gross. A large hayrack full of all kinds of unredeemed Bicycles at $13, $14.00 and $15.00 each. 90 unredeemed watches of all kinds at ⅓ value. 96 gold rings of all kinds at 40 per cent on the dollar. Revolvers and shotguns, the largest stock and the lowest prices in either city. I will pay $1.25 apiece for all the gold dollars that I can get. Will pay cash for OLD GOLD. Will buy the receiver's certificates of the First National bank. Will cash the time checks of the M. B. H. & C. R. R. Men's suits of clothing bought and sold.

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## MAY BE FATAL

**Ending of the St. Joseph Fourth of July Runaway.**

Last evening about 9 o'clock a young man named Lafayette Pfeff and a young lady, Miss Blanche Parish, were driving along Ship street, when the horse became frightened and started to run towards the bluff where thousands of people were congregated.

Mr. Pfeff endeavored to stop the horse but the hold-backs had not been fastened and the harder he pulled on the lines the more frightened became the horse. By the time the bluff was reached the horse was going with his full speed and running between a tree and a bench the occupants were thrown out and the horse trampled Mr. and Mrs. Durin Warren under his feet. Their two little boys, aged seven and ten years, were with their parents but fortunately the crowd pushed them out of the way. As Mr. and Mrs. Warren fell under the horse's feet John Newberger, a Chicago gentleman, caught the frightened animal by the bridle and exhibited great strength and bravery.

Officer Hosbein took Mr. and Mrs. Warren from under the horse's feet bleeding and unconscious. The lady was carried to the Hotel Whitcomb where Drs. Wilson of St. Joseph and Dr. Watson of Benton Harbor dressed her wounds. She had three ribs on the right side broken and was terribly bruised about the head and shoulders. Mr. Warren was taken to the Lake View house where his wounds were dressed by Dr. H. C. Clements of Chicago. One rib was severed from the spine and his head was terribly cut. He is also injured internally, the doctor fears fatally.

Clarence McGraw, of this city was also thrown down and received some severe bruises and his left elbow was badly cut. Dr. Wilson dressed the wound. An artist named Stacey was hit by one hoof of the horse and was severely cut over the right eye. Dr. McLin attended him. Miss Parish was bruised considerably by her fall and is very ill today with nervous prostration.

Mr. Newbriger deserves much praise for his coolness and grit in hanging on to the frightened horse for had it been allowed to proceed up the bluff there is no telling how many people would have been killed and injured.

## THE MARKETS.

**heat Closed at 74 1-2 at Chicago Today.**

Chicago, July 5—Wheat closed today at 74½; corn, 31⅞; oats 21¾.

## THE BIKE RACES.

**Good Sport at the Twin City Track Yesterday.**

Over 600 people witnessed the bicycle races on the new Twin City track yesterday and it is evident that the track is gr[illegible] in popularity.

Slow ti[illegible]as made on account of the high[illegible]. Louis Jones, of Niles, easily w[illegible]e Berrien county championship[illegible]

## A [illegible]OOD RECORD.

**Pro[illegible]or Valentine's Report for Six Months.**

[illegible]he report of Prosecuting Attorney [illegible]alentine for six months ended July 1 shows the large amount of work that the prosecutor has done and done well.

He has prosecuted 215 criminals, an average of about one and a half a day, and of these 155 have been convicted, 11 acquitted, 24 nolle prossed, 18 discharged at examination, 5 dismissed on the payment of costs and 2 esc[illegible]ped or settled. 37 of the 215 cases were for assault and batter[illegible]


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## Patriotic Ode, July 4th, 1898

(Sung to the tune of "Blue Bells of Scotland.)

Oh where, and oh where has the Spanish navy gone!
Oh what, and oh what have our Dewey and Sampson done!
They've wiped it from the earth and sent it down to—well
We need not say a word and the Spaniard will never tell. S. A. G.

# SANTIAGO REINFORCED

## Our Troops Suffering More from Heat Than Bullets.

Washington, July 5.—The President has sent a telegram to Sampson directing him to confer with Shafter over the situation.

The bombardment of Santiago has not begun. Report that Pando has reinforced Santiago with 8,000 Spanish troops confirmed, making the enemy's effective fighting force a third greater than American.

Excessive heat and rains the past two weeks have injured our troops more than Spanish bullets.

# "ONLY THING LEFT TO DO."

## Way Prisoner Cervera Consoles Himself.

Kingston, Jamaica, July 5—The first and only statement concerning the recent naval battle made by Admiral Cervera was to the correspondent of the associated press. He said:

"I would rather see the ships out to sea like sailors than in harbor. It was the only thing left for me to do."

# MORE TROOPS FOR SHAFTER.

Washington, July 5.—The brigade under Garretson at Camp Alger has been ordered to proceed to Santiago at once. The Eighth Ohio regiment goes to New York to take the cruiser St Paul The Sixth Illinois and Sixth Massachusetts go to Charleston, S C, where the Yale and Harvard will embark them for Santiago

## Camara in the Suez Canal.

Washington, July 5—The state department has been officially informed that Admiral Camara's fleet has entered the Suez canal.

## ALGER GUARD GALLERY.

SERGEANT JOHN BELL, JR.

John Bell, jr., first sergeant of comany I of this city, was born in Chicago August 28, 1878, and when six months old moved to Benton Harbor with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. George M. Bell, and has resided here ever since.

He attended the Benton Harbor high school and was a student one year at military academy at Orchard Lake. Just before the breaking out of the present war he entered his father's drug store and was learning pharmacy.

There is a strange coincidence in the fact that the four first officers in Company I are the only sons of their families. Lieuts. Pound and Daigneau and Sergeant Bell are the only children in their respective families.

Sergeant Bell was detailed to come home and recruit his company to its full limit and out of all the companies of the thirty-third regiment he was second to return with his men, and he was compelled to travel more miles than any of the other recruiting officers, a record of which he may well feel proud.


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Ladies' Skirts, blk brocade, worth $2.25 for $1.39.

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| Bacon, | 9c lb. | Lard, | 5c lb. |

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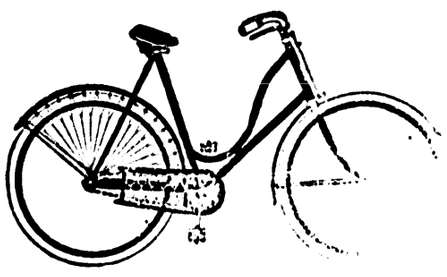

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# SMASHING A FLEET.

## Sampson's Men Do a Little in That Line About as Completely as Dewey.

## HOW CERVERA'S WAS DESTROYED.

### Tried to Get Away from Santiago by a Bold Dash and Is Now a Beached Wreck.

**Same Old Story of Yankee Precision and Pluck and Spanish Inability to Do Anything Except Waste Ammunition and Die Desperately--Cervera Complimented for His Fight by Commander Wainwright—Great Carnage on the Spanish Ships of War.**

New York, July 5.—The New York Herald has received from its correspondents at Santiago the following details of the destruction of Admiral Cervera's fleet: Three of the Spanish cruisers that were bottled up in Santiago harbor and two torpedo boat destroyers were pounded into helpless hulks by the guns of Admiral Sampson's fleet on Sunday in a vain attempt to escape from the harbor. The vessels were beached in a last effort to save as

ADMIRAL CERVERA.

many of the lives of the crews as possible. Admiral Cervera, on board the Cristobal Colon, headed his fleet in the attempt to get away at about half past 9 o'clock. So litle were the Americans expecting the dash that the flagship New York was cruising up the coast to the east, and returned only in time to see the finish of the fight and to fire a shot or two at the torpedo boat destroyers.

**Battle Was Firee While It Lasted.**

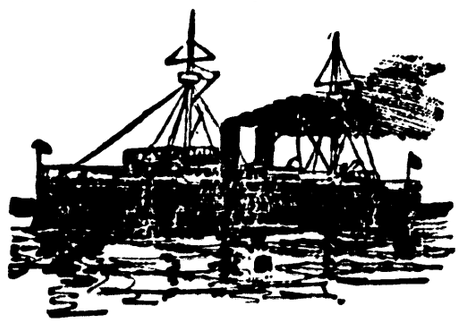
The Iowa, Indiana, Oregon, Massachusetts, Texas, Brooklyn and the converted yacht Gloucester formed in position to give battle as soon as the Colon was sighted rounding the wreck of the Merrimac. Cervera headed to the west, the Colon in the lead, followed by the Vizcaya and Oquendo and the destroyers, all firing rapidly. All of the American battleships opened fire at once and the Spanish were soon in a hurricane of shot and shell, but the Colon kept on bravely till when about ten miles to the westward of Morro castle Admiral Cervera turned his vessel to the shore and beached her. She was blazing in a score of places, but her guns kept at work and the white flag never showed until she was completely disabled.

**Dons Fail to Hit Anything.**

The Oquendo and Vizcaya were opposed to the Iowa, Texas and Indiana, and went down to defeat with fearful swiftness, covering only about half the distance made by the Colon before their captains run them ashore. Their crews fought with desperate bravery, but their courage was no match for the courage of our men, added to their superb gunnery. The Spanish shell went wild for the most part, but the American gun fire was marked by merciless precision. The two cruisers, both on fire, were beached not more than one-quarter of a mile apart.

**Dramatic Feature of the Fight.**

The most dramatic feature of the battle was the contest between the torpedo boat destroyers and the Gloucester. The latter was struck several times, and is the only American vessel reported damaged. At first the Gloucester fired upon them with her six-pounders, but they ran past her and engaged the battleships. Finding the fire too hot they turned and attacked the Gloucester again until both destroyers were afire and



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had to be beached. Their crews threw themselves into the surf to save their lives. Just before this the New York came up and assisted in giving the finishing blow to the destroyers. There was explosion after explosion from the beached vessels. It was at first reported that Admiral Cervera was dead, but this was afterward denied.

## AFTER THE FIGHT WAS OVER.

**Cervera and the Survivors of His Crews Now Prisoners.**

Off Santiago de Cuba, July 3, via Kingston, Jamaica, July 5.—[Copyright, 1898, by Associated Press.]—The destruction of Cervera's fleet was complete. All his ships are sunken wrecks. It was a fight to the finish with the Spaniards. At no time did they show any indication that they intended to do otherwise than fight to the last. They showed no signals to surrender, even when their ships commenced to sink and the great clouds of smoke pouring from their sides showed that they were on fire. But they turned their heads toward the shore less than a mile away and ran them on the beach and rocks, where their destruction was soon completed. The officers and men on board then escaped to the shore with the assistance of boats sent from the American men-of-war and then threw themselves upon the mercy of their captors.

Their conquerors sent them a guard to protect them from the murderous bands of Cuban soldiers hiding in the bush on the hillside, eager to rush down and attack the unarmed, defeated, but valorous foe. Admiral Cervera escaped to the shore in a boat sent by the Gloucester and as soon as he touched the beach he surrendered himself and his command to Lieutenant Morton and asked to be taken on board the Gloucester, which was the only American vessel near him at the time. The Spanish admiral, who was wounded in the arm, was taken to the Gloucester and received at the gangway by her commander, Lieutenant Commander Richard Wainwright, who grasped the hand of the gray-bearded admiral and said to him: "I congratulate you, sir, upon having made as gallant a fight as was ever witnessed on the sea."

Lieutenant Commander Wainwright then placed his cabin at the disposal of the Spanish officers. As far as is known at this writing not a United States vessel was even hit. There is no means of telling now what the Spanish loss was, but it is believed to have been very heavy, as the prisoners in custody report their decks strewn with dead and wounded in great numbers, and there is a statement that many bodies could be seen fastened to pieces of wreckage floating in the sea after the fight was over.

There can be no doubt that Admiral Cervera's plan to escape from San Santiago harbor was entirely unexpected by Admiral Sampson, and the best evidence of this is the fact that when the Spanish vessels were seen coming out of the harbor the flagship New York was seven miles away steaming to the eastward toward Juragua, the military base, nine miles east of Morro.

## CHICAGO PAPERS TO PUBLISH.

**Probably Resume Wednesday Morning With New Stereotypers, They Say.**

Chicago, July 5.—None of the Chicago newspapers will resume publication before Wednesday morning. The publishers had made all arrangements for resumption this morning, with papers four pages in size, to be increased day by day as rapidly as practicable. Last evening the president of the International Typographical Union and the district organizer waited on the publishers and made a strong request that publication be deferred twenty-four hours longer, urging as a reason that if the issue had to be met by their union last night there might be trouble about observing their contract obligations with the publishers.

They were very sanguine that their union would keep to its contract, and not quit because of the stereotypers' strike, but wished an opportunity to canvass and discuss the matter to-day.

The publishers assert that stereotypers are coming into the city from various points in very gratifying numbers, and are confident that they will be well equipped for issuing the papers, reduced in size, by tomorrow morning.

Indianapolis, July 5.—President Prescott, of the International Typographical Union, went to Chicago yesterday to investigate the strike in that city. The stereotypers, while they have a union of their own, are under the jurisdiction of the International Typographical Union. It is stated at International headquarters that the strike is unauthorized.

**Scores on the Diamond.**

Chicago, July 5.—Yesterday's League base ball records were: At Cincinnati—Louisville 4, Cincinnati 7; at Pittsburg—St. Louis 1, Pittsburg 9; at New York—Boston 6, New York 5; at Baltimore—Philadelphia 5, Baltimore 12; at Washington—Brooklyn 4, Washington 3; at Chicago—Cleveland 11, Chicago 2. (Afternoon) At Washington—Brooklyn 5, Washington 9; at New York—Boston 10, New York 3; at Pittsburg—St. Louis 12, Pittsburg 7; at Cincinnati—Louisville 0, Cincinnati 11; at Baltimore—Philadelphia 2, Baltimore 9; at Chicago—Cleveland 3, Chicago 4.

Western League: At Indianapolis—Columbus 4, Indianapolis 0; at Minneapolis—St. Paul 5, Minneapolis 2; at Detroit—Milwaukee 2, Detroit 4; at Kansas City—Omaha 0, Kansas City 10. (Afternoon) At Indianapolis—Columbus 3, Indianapolis 7; at St. Paul—Minneapolis 2, St. Paul 3; at Detroit—Milwaukee 4, Detroit 5; at Kansas City—Omaha 1, Kansas City 9.

**Peffer Will Run for Governor.**

Topeka, Kan., July 5.—Ex-Senator Peffer has whitten a letter accepting the Prohibition nomination for governor recently tendered him. Senator Peffer says he will devote two months to making a thorough canvass on the single issue of prohibition.

## ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Fire at McPherson, Kan., destroyed the First National Bank building. Loss, $75,000.

Ex-Vce President Stevenson delivered the Fourth of July oration at Minonk, Ills., to a vast crowd.

H. W. Danforth, acting assistant surgeon, reported among the wounded at the battle of Santiago, is a Milwaukee man.

The miners arriving at Seattle from the Klondke report that scurvy has marked hundreds of men in the Klondike for its victims.

Three young men—Charles Searley, Roy Sinnet and Charles Williams—were drowned in the bay at Hamilton, Ont., during a storm.

Howard Brewer, of San Francisco, has beaten the world's amateur swimmng record for 440 yards, his time being 6 minutes 10½ seconds.

Fourth of July was celebrated with great unanimity all over the United States. That tells the story of the day briefly. It was also celebrated in England.

It is announced at Tacoma, Wash., that the salaries of all engineers and firemen on the Northern Pacific are to be advanced at least 15 per cent. commencing this month.

The race at Vancouver, B. C., for the single sculling championship of the world between Jack Gaudaur and Bob Johnson was a fiasco owing to the fact that Johnson struck a snag.


## THE LEADER STORE.

We have just bought out a stock of clothing and gents' furnishings at 50 cents on the dollar and will sell the same below first cost. Also shoes, underwear, notions, glassware and tinware are sold at the lowest prices in town. If you need anything in the line of jewelry and watches or repairing come to us and find out our prices. 118 West Main street, opposite Farmers & Merchants bank. B. JOSEPH,
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E. C. Blanks, of Lewisville, Texas, writes that one box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was worth $50.00 to him. It cured his piles of ten years standing. He advises others to try it. It also cures eczema, skin diseases and obstinate sores. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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## FOURTH A SUCCESS.

### A Delightful Celebration of Independence Day Held in Benton Harbor Monday.

### THE VIZCAYA BLOWN UP.

**Results of the Program of Sports—A Large Crowd Gathered and No Accident Occurred.**

The Fourth of July celebration held in this city yesterday was a success from beginning to end. The weather was cool and delightful and the attractions offered were appreciated by the thousands of visitors.

The day opened with the usual roaring of the cannon at sunrise and at 10 o'clock a procession was formed in which the Benton Harbor military company under Capt. Ehrle took a prominent part. The bands and the celebrated Hartford drum corps made the procession lively with patriotic music.

At the grand stand Rev. George A. Sahlin offered a patriotic prayer and read the Declaration of Independence.

Attorney Charles N. Sears gave the address of the day which was full of eloquence and set afire the thousand people within range of his voice with patriotism. Mr. Sears was at his best and he read from the stand the latest dispatches from Washington announcing the victory of the American arms at Santiago and the destruction of Cervera's fleet. The news offered opportunity for a Fourth of July address with the old-time ring and the speaker was equal to the task.

After the oration of Mr. Sears there was a spontaneous call for an address from Mr. Sahlin and that gentleman responded in a few words which farther enthused and inspired the audience.

#### THE SPORTS.

**List of the Lucky Ones Who Won Prizes.**

The sports of the day were in charge of J. A. Crawford, H. B. Volheim and J. O. Rowe, and these gentlemen won the thanks of every citizen for the tireless and efficient way with which this important part of the celebration was conducted. Every event was full of deep interest and was hotly contested.

Following is a list of the prize winners:

Horse race—Distance 25 rods. Company No. 2, first, and No. 3, second. Time, 29 2-5 and 34 3-5.

Foot race—Clayton Niles, first; Mat Gephart, second; F. Mittan, third.

Sack race—L. Burson, first; M. Galdburn, second; Mat Gephart, third.

Pie eat—E. Paulus, first; T. Young, second; E Lamphere, third.

Cracker eat—W. Young, first; J. King, second; E. Collier, third.

Foot race, for boys under 20—E. Pearl, first; H. Volheim, second; W. Allerton, third.

Tub race—W. Young, first; S. Rowe, second; J. King, third.

Greased pole—Mat Gephart won the $5 offered by P. W. Hall and G. B. Walker the sack of flour offered by C. J. Brown.

Tug of war—Hose company No. 2 first, company 3, second.

The exhibition of the water tower with the aerial truck and Eastman deluge nozzle was a very interesting feature of the day.

At 6 o'clock the fire team made an exhibition run of two blocks and attached the hose and threw water in 34 seconds.

The race between Tim Blucher and a horse attracted a thousand people. The race was on Water street and everyone admired the dog hitched before the little saddle with pneumatic tires and driven by a little boy who presented the appearance of a typical jockey. The crowd hoped the dog would win and he did. This trotting dog is now owned by Percy Cole of this city.

#### BLOWING UP THE VIZCAYA.

**The Celebration Ended in a Magnificent Battle.**

The celebration ended with the blowing up of the Spanish cruiser Vizcaya. The boat was built on the vacant lot opposite the city hall and at 8 o'clock fire and smoke was seen pulling from the smoke stack of the ship as though she was making a fast cruise. On two sides of the ship, 200 or 300 feet away were erected forts and these were manned by members of the local military company. In the bow of the boat was a huge torpedo tube through which rockets were shot in the air, and as they flew through the tubes the scene greatly resembled the discharge of death from a torpedo tube on a regulation warship.

The bombardment was furious for a half hour and balls from Roman candles shot through the cannons on the boat striking the forts fast and thick. The fire was fiercely returned from the forts and the ship was struck right and left by the balls of fire. The scene of battle was magnificent and the crowning event was the blowing up of the boat by a mine and the speedy burning of the vessel. The fire was very hot and the flames leaped high in the air.

The chief Spaniard on the boat was Attorney Cady, who was the Admiral Cervera of the crowd and he is now a prisoner of the American marines. Vern Willard had charge of the torpedo tube and he prevented an accident though the firing of rockets through a long tube was dangerous.

**St. Joe Celebration.**

The Fourth was properly celebrated in Old St. Joe and all day long the streets and especially the Lake Front park was crowded with a throng of people. The grand parade was formed in front of the city hall and was headed by The Evening News' Newsboys band followed by the fire department various societies, Berrien Springs and Niles bands. During the day the program was carried out in full, the bicycle carnival at 4 o'clock being an interesting feature. The band concerts from the band stand and verandas of the hotels were especially fine. The Niles City band which is under the directorship of Prof. Wells did some good work and were highly complimented.

The celebration was a grand success and ended with the blowing up of a Spanish boat and fort.

Much credit is due the various committees who had the affair in charge.

## FEW ACCIDENTS.

**Clarence McGraw, a Lad of 15, Injured.**

There were a few slight accidents yesterday at the celebrations in the two cities.

The only one of any consequence was the injury which befell Clarence McGraw, a 15-year-old lad of this city, who was hurt by a runaway in St. Joseph.

The boy was knocked down by the team and was for some time unconscious. He was attended by St. Joseph physicians and then brought to his home in this city and placed under the care of Dr. John Bell. The doctor says that the boy's arm was cut, his head and leg bruised. He will soon recover.

## DEATH AT FAIR PLAIN.

**Miss Hattie Conda Died of Consumption Sunday.**

Miss Hattie Conda, a resident of Fair Plain, died at the home of her father Sunday at 11 o'clock, of the dread disease consumption, aged 30 years.

The funeral was held from the family home this morning at 10 o'clock.


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## A SURPRISE.

**Marriage of Harry B. Kidd and Miss Zoe Williams Made Public Yesterday.**

The many friends of Harry B. Kidd, oldest son of A. J. Kidd, of the wholesale grocery house of Kidd, Dater, Price & Co, were surprised yesterday upon learning of his marriage to Miss Zoe Williams, daughter of Dr. Williams of Jonesville, this state.

Mr. Kidd has been a student of the Detroit business college for the past year and has only been home less than a month. While at school he met Miss Williams who was a student in the music department of the college. The case was one of love at first sight and on June 18, Mr. Kidd and Miss Williams, accompanied by a few personal friends, went to Windsor, Canada, and were quietly married. Mr. Kidd returned to his home here while his wife finished her course of music at the college.

Mr. and Mrs. Kidd will make their home for the present with Mr. Kidd's parents, corner of Britain avenue and Cedar streets.

Harry is an exceptionally bright young man and has a host of friends who extend congratulations.

## BEVERLY C. BASS.

**Appointed to Position in the Commissary Department at Chickamauga.**

Beverly C. Bass, son of Mrs. E. M. Bass of this city has been appointed chief clerk to Capt. Pauline in the commissary department of the army at Chickamauga. He has accepted the position.

## PEACEMAKERS.

**Preacher in Benton Harbor Thus Looks Upon the Soldiers.**

Rev. John R. Reitzel, preacher, lecturer, traveler, preached at the First Congregational church Sunday. In the evening he delivered his grand lecture on the "Mission of America."

During the course of the lecture he referred to the sermon on the Mount, especially the passage, "Blessed are the peacemakers."

"This passage was recently pointed out to me," he said, "as being a conclusive argument against our war with Spain. It suggests to me a very different meaning. It suggests that our war is one approved of God for our boys sleeping on their arms in torrid Cuba tonight are there not for conquest but for peace. Their mission is to carry peace and happiness to a people who for years have had no peace.

"Christ died on calvary that man might rule himself. It is the same principle of justice and humanity that caused our boys to face danger and death on the battlefields of Cuba."

The mission of America was portrayed to make all the world akin. The heathen in the far away Philippines is our neighbor and we should not shirk the responsibility of sending him our civilization: the Spaniard is our neighbor and there was no more tender story in all history than that told of one event after the battle of Manila. American women were binding up the wounds of Spaniards as lovingly as though the victims were our own.

"The Spaniard is our neighbor, though at present he has the front door locked and his bulldog in the yard. We hope the dog will die and the lock be broken."

All those who heard the sermon and lecture of Mr. Reitzel would like to hear him again.

#### ALONG THE SAME LINE.

**Rev. W. P. French Preaches on Our Country's Duty.**

Rev. W. P. French preached from the text Sunday morning, "Righteousness Exalteth a Nation." He preached on practically the same line as Mr. Reitzel touched in the evening.

He spoke of the Philippines and believed that our country should hold the islands and plant the seeds of righteousness and justice among the 10,000,000 people of those islands. He believed in the Anglo-saxon alliance and spoke of England as a civilizing power. Wherever England has planted her flag, she has carried her own language and literature and civilization and Christianity.

**Michigan Pensions.**

Michigan pensions were granted Saturday as follows: Original—Wilbur F. Lott, Manistee, $6; George Cannon, Samaria, $6; Melvin Mosher, Bachelor, $6; Clayton L. Hurd, Grant Station, $8. Renewal—Horace Young, Chesaning, $6. Increase—John T. Shelp, Gun Marsh, $10 to $12; Reuben Brink, St. Johns, $10 to $14. Flavius Baldwin, Big Rapids, $12 to $14. Widow—Amelie Muggelburg, Imlay City, $12.

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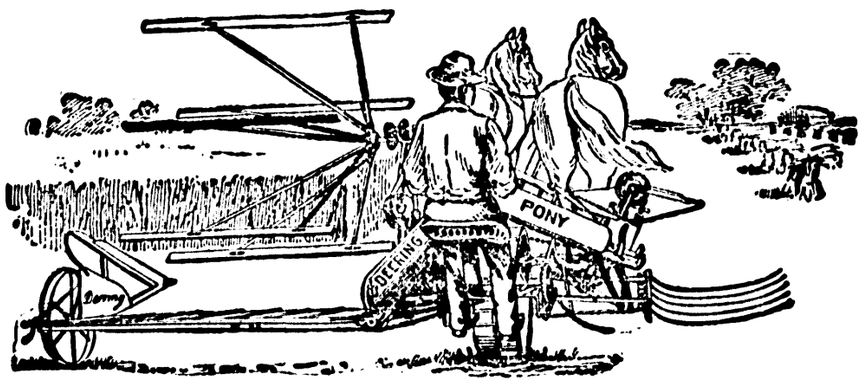


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## WAR PRACTICALLY OVER.

The destruction of Admiral Cervera's fleet and the capture of the survivors marks the beginning of the end of the war.

The story of the conflict between the Americans and the Spanish reads like fiction. There is in it all something as mysterious and supernatural as were the wars of ancient Israel, where the battles were fought by an unseen God and not by armies. In no other way can the battle at Manila be explained. Facing the heavy fire of Spanish guns not one American was killed. The sea battle at Santiago was a repetition of Manila bay, though in the latter fight one American sailor lost his life. The heavy guns of the Christobol Colon and Vizcaya fired thick and fast, but they were like the helpless host of Midianites before the small band of Gideon. The fleet of the United States was stronger than the Spaniards, but had they been weaker the result would probably have been the same.

The war cannot last long. Without a fleet Spain cannot long make any show of resistance and when her own coast is bombarded and the lives of subjects on the mother soil are taken by shot and shell the Spaniard will not be willing to longer place lives on the altar of sacrifice.

Spanish honor demanded that the lives of soldiers and sailors be sacrificed but that same honor will not demand that the lives of statesmen who live in Spain be put in jeopardy.

WHEN you read in big black letters in a yellow journal, "Shafter Defeated," get ready to rejoice over a decisive American victory.

I WOULD rather be a prisoner of the United States than an admiral in the Spanish navy.—CERVERA.


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Bob Moore, of LaFayette, Ind., says that for constipation he has found DeWitt's Little Early Risers to be perfect. They never gripe. Try them for stomach and liver troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

### Vandalia Line Special Excursions.

Omaha, Neb., and return $25.10, and Kansas City and return $24.30, on sale from June 1 to October 15, account Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition.

Cincinnati, Ohio, September 5-10. One cent per mile account G. A. R. encampment.

Indianapolis, Ind. One cent per mile account K. of P. encampment beginning August 23.

One way Settlers' rates to points in south on first and third Tuesday of each month.

Winona Lake, Ind., $2.75 for round trip including admission to park.

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To Elkhart, Ind, July 19, 20 and 21, one fare for round trip.

To Saratoga, N. Y., August 1 and 2, one fare for round trip.

To Indianapolis, Ind., August 23, account of K of P encampment, one cent per mile.

To Cincinnati, O., Sept. 5-10. One cent per mile. Account of G. A. R. Encampment.

To Winona Lake, Ind., round trip including admission to park, $2.85.

Home Seekers' excursions July 5 and 19.

One way settlers' rates first and third Tuesday of each month.

To Washington, D. C., July 3 to 6 inclusive One fare plus $2 for round trip.

For further information as to limits of above excursions call on or address L. G. Smith, agent C. C. C. & St. L. Ry., Benton Harbor, Mich.

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F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster, of Promise Town, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by G. M. Bell & Co. Druggists, Benton Harbor, 109 Main street.

### Thought the Conductor Shot an Angel.

An engineer running over the Panhandle branch of the Santa Fe is somewhat superstitious and believes in warnings.

One night he was rolling along at a good rate of speed, when he saw a clear, white light, like a will-o'-the-wisp, dancing around just over the track a few hundred feet in front of him. He shut off steam and came to a stop as quickly as he could. The conductor and train crew came running up to the engine to see what was the matter.

"There is some one swinging a lantern across the track," said the engineer, and the crew went ahead to investigate.

"We can't find any one," reported the rear brakeman, and the engineer pulled out again, but he went slowly, and in a few minutes he stopped again. The crew went ahead once more to see what was the cause of the light. The conductor, who was a good shot, drew his revolver and at the second shot he made at the mysterious light there was a crash, a scream and the light went out and something white came fluttering down from the clouds.

The superstitious engineer was scared. "You've shot an angel, sure," he said to the conductor, with his face pale as death.

Investigation brought out the fact that a small boy with a lantern tied to the tail of his kite was the cause of it all, but it teases the engineer to say anything about "shooting angels."—Topeka State Journal.

### Queer Funeral Mistakes In Maine.

There have been some queer mistakes made of all kinds, but this is one of the most unusual and undesirable, although no real harm was done: A man, one time prominent in professional life of this city, died. He was a member of a certain society in this city, which sent representatives to the funeral. The members of the organization were notified of the death of their fellow member by postal cards sent out by the secretary. One of the cards was addressed to and delivered at the late residence of the dead member, inviting him to attend his own obsequies.

A similar incident was, if anything, worse. A member of a secret society died and his fellows were notified of his death and the time and place of the funeral, as usual. A card was delivered at the address of the dead man, directed to him in his own handwriting. He had been the secretary of the organization and had addressed sets of postal cards to the members at his leisure. When a member died, a set of the addressed cards were sent to the printer, who printed the name of the deceased member on the back with the other matter used in the notice. So when the secretary died his assistant or successor sent a set of the cards to the printer, so that the dead man was sent one addressed by his own hand.—Portland Express.


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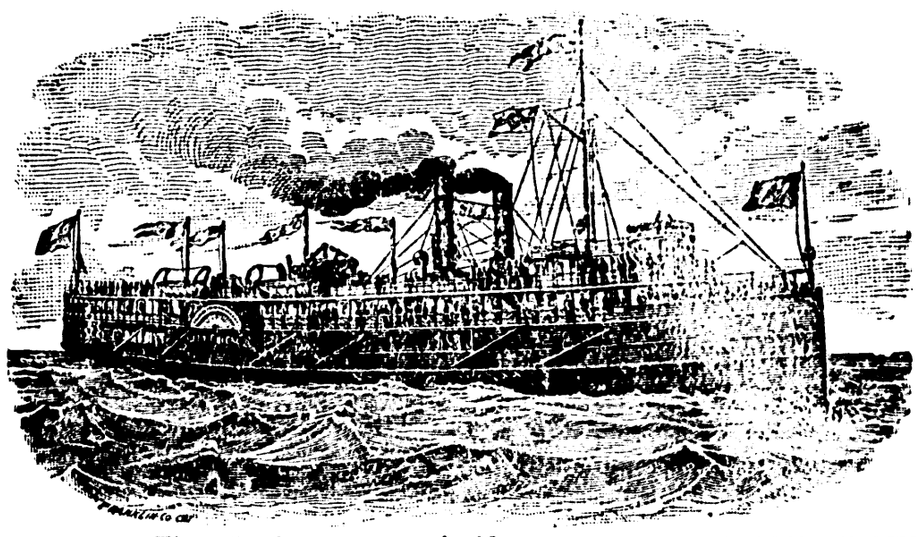

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## LOCAL BREVITIES

REGULAR meeting of the city council tonight.

THE new St. Joseph river bridge is now open to travel.

BUT one man was arrested for drunkenness on the Fourth

REV. James J. Gore delivered an address at Kalamazoo yesterday.

THE Eastman Springs railroad has secured two new open cars and the trip to the springs is now a delight.

MR. and Mrs. Rodney Pearl of Pearl Grange are the parents of a little daughter which made its arrival July 3.

H. B. VOLHEIM has purchased a house and lot east of the Edwards avenue viaduct, of A. C. North, of South Bend.

MRS. F. M. Sowers will have charge of the dining hall at Eastman Springs. Mrs. Sowers has had much experience in this line and the service will be first class.

THE first ward of Benton Harbor gave only 17 votes in favor of local option and leads the county. The first ward of St. Joseph is second with 23 votes.

MRS J. L. Redick, of Niles, was robbed of her pocketbook and contents while coming from the Big Four train yesterday, to her daughter's home on Elm street.

THE Excelsior bath house on Main street was opened to the public today and a cordial invitation is extended to the citizens to come and inspect the new building.

THIRTY-five guests from Chicago spent the Fourth at the Cheever farm. Some returned home on the night boat and others remained to spend their vacation at this resort.

HENRY Noe lost his pocketbook containing $35 on the Fourth. He does not know whether the purse was stolen or whether he lost it accidentally. He has offered a reward of $5.

AT the monthly meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company, of Berrien county, held last Saturday at Buchanan, the amount of insurance taken and approved was $136,000.

THE home of Mrs. Sidmore, 146 Columbus avenue, was discovered to be on fire yesterday afternoon. An alarm was sounded and the fire department responded but by the time they arrived the blaze had been extinguished.

THE monthly business meeting of the Congregational Y. P. S. C. E. will be held this evening. It is earnestly desired that every member be present and the chairman of each committee is requested to furnish a six months' report.

THE box of goods sent the members of Company I at Camp Alger were ordered by telegraph forwarded to Newport News and arrived there after the boys had left for Cuba. The box was returned to Camp Alger and delivered over to the recruits of the company still in camp.

A SMALL boy threw a firecracker on Bell's awning yesterday and as a natural consequence the awning caught fire. When discovered a large hole was burned in one side. Bennie Curry clerk in the store, was endeavoring to extinguish the flames when a piece of the burning cloth fell, striking him in the face, burning it quite severely.

J. J. MILLER has retired from the meat business. For 27 years he has continuously been engaged in the trade, the last seven years having been in the business in this city. He is succeeded in the business here by William Stahl, of Buchanan, who has leased Mr. Miller's store and fixtures at the corner of Pipestone and Pleasant streets. Mr. Miller will not leave the city but will engage in other lines of business.

Ex-Mayor Plummer was the victim of a wicked Fourth of July joke. He was sitting on the bench in front of Hall's drug store telling of Antietam and its glory to a brother soldier. The crowd standing around suddenly moved away but the ex-mayor did not notice it, for he was in the most eloquent part of the battle. There was a sudden bang and the ex-mayor was hidden in a cloud of smoke. The next seen of him he was in the center of the street yelling as though the Dutch had taken Ireland. His trousers were partly blown from his frame and he had the look of despair. One of his best friends put a cannon cracker under him not knowing how ugly a cannon cracker can be. The joke nearly ended in a very serious way.

Dr. S. M White, dentist

"Vandella."

Geo D. Alger, Watchmaker.

**Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.**

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.**

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Mrs. Schler, 172 Broadway.

**Fearless Men.**

There is a condition possible to some few souls that if not really the highest attribute of humanity would be chosen by most men of noble mold were selection possible. It is the unawed tranquillity, the absolute inability to fear, that some men, not many, possess, or rather, one should say, by which some men are possessed. An instance of such courage on a low plane is that of Potemkin kicking aside the bloody head of his predecessor as he stepped to the block, an act almost indelicate enough to be humorous, yet withal significant of an iron nerve.

Somewhere in the late seventies another Russian, but this time a savant, gave a proof of what length a rapt intensity of purpose will carry a man to. In order to make good his theory that a suicide may be deliberate and unrepenting he subjected himself to hideous torture, ending in death, but under such circumstances that he might have relinquished his design at any stage of its progress. He lay on his back upon a bedstead from which he had stripped all the clothing, with a lamp placed underneath him so that the flame just touched his spine, rising at intervals to make notes, which were afterward published. They show a calm spirit of research and are slightly triumphant in tone, though touched into high relief once or twice by an expression of anguish.—F. Foster in North American Review.

**Quaint Fashions In Manilla.**

Gem of the orient earth and open sea,
Manilla, that in thy lap and on thy breast
Hath gathered beauties all the loveliest,
On which the sun smiles in his majesty,

and so on. The quatrain, with an unimportant emendation, is from Bawring. It sounds fine and rings false. Manilla used to be regarded as the most fortunately situated city in the world. Just why is a problem. Set beneath a torrid sky, remote from the routes of commerce, it has squatted, unheeding and practically unheeded, the capital of a stretch of unfortunate isles. Visitors have been infrequent. The earliest was Magellan. The most recurrent has been the typhoon. The most pertinacious has been the earthquake.

Objects of interest are few. Among them is the mestizo. Superstitious as a ballad, languorous as a serenade, she floats, a human butterfly, along the scarlet lanes. Another feature is the climate. Fancy a pastille burning in a vapor bath. The atmosphere has the savor of cachous and the bite of red peppers. Costume, in consequence, is brief. The mantilla of the mestizo is her hair. Her raiment is silk, very bright, very loose. The male half caste wears trousers and a shirt. The tails of the latter are not always tucked in. On high days he flaunts them. The effect is neat, not gaudy. So much for local fashion.—Edgar Saltus in Collier's Weekly.

Finest line of $35 bicycles in Berrien county at Wallace Bros. 838tf

The ice sold by Hosbein & Barnes is from 10 to 14 inches thick and free from snow. Telephone 242.

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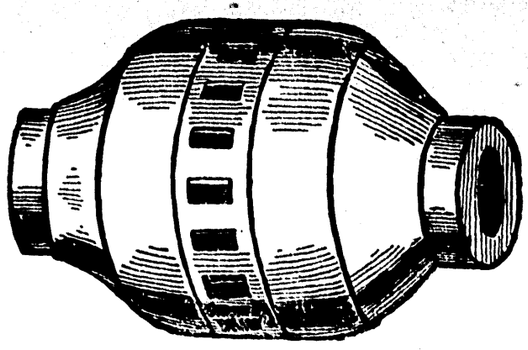
# The  Hub

**112 Pipestone Street**

# .Before Inventory Sale.

## We invoice our Stock on July 5

We prefer to invoice cash instead of goods. In order to do so we will for the next two weeks offer the balance of our immense stock of fine clothing at prices lower than the lowest:

Men's good business suits - $2.50 worth $5.00
Men's good business suits - $3.00 worth $7.00
Men's good blue flannel suits, $3.50 worth $7.00
Men's good pants - - - 50c worth $1.00
Youths' and Boys' summer coats and vests - - - - - - 50c worth $1.50
Boys' suits - - - - 70c worth $1.50
Boys' pants - - - - - 20c and up.

We also have a fine line of Men's, Youth's and Boys' Clothing at 25 per cent less than any house in the city.

Our Hat and Furnishing Goods departments comprising all the latest styles and novelties at prices unheard of. Call and be convinced.

All goods warranted as represented or money refunded.

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# DAY OF GOOD TIDINGS.

## Yesterday Was Auspicious for the American Arms on Sea and on Land.

### SAMPSON SMASHED THAT FLEET

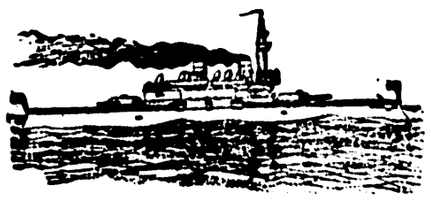
**Cervera's Ships Sunk and He a Prisoner—Admiral's Report of the Fact.**

### SHAFTER WAITS FOR NOON TODAY.

**When, If the Dons at Santiago Do Not Surrender, He Will Open Fire with Siege and Field Batteries—Twenty-Four Hours of Grace Given at the Request of the Foreign Consuls for Time To Remove Non-Combatants—Sure Thing, However, When the Battle Begins Again.**

Headquarters of General Shafter ,before Santiago, July 5.—General Pando with 5,000 reinforcements reached Santiago at noon yesterday Cuban General Calixto Garcia refusing to make an effort to stop him, saying that the Spanish force was too large for him to engage.

Wahington, July 5.—The complete annihilation of the Spanish squadron at Santiago and the capture of the Spanish admiral, Cervera, with 1,300 prisoners; the demand by General Shafter for the surrender of Santiago by 12 o'clock this noon on pain of bombardment; word from Admiral Dewey that the Landrone islands have been captured, that a Spanish gunboat had surrendered, that 100 or more Spanish officers and men were taken and that our first Philippine expedition had landed—this is in part the thrilling record of such a Fourth of



BATTLESHIP MASSACHUSETTS.

July as has not ben known since the bells of Independence hall rang out the tidings of American freedom. It was a day when one momentous event followed another in constant and rapid succession, each hour bringing forth some new feature more startling than what had gone before.

**Sampson Tells of His Victory.**

The story of the day is best told in the official dispatches from Sampson, from Shafter and from Dewey. Stirring as they all are that of Sampson was accorded the honor of chief importance. It is as follows, dated Playa del Este, July 3:

"The fleet under my command offers the nation as a Fourth of July present the destruction of the whole of Cervera's fleet. No one escaped. It attempted to escape at 9:30 a. m. and at 2 p. m. the last, the Cristobal Colon, had run ashore six miles west of Santiago and had let down her colors. The Infanta Maria Teresa, Oquendo and Vizcaya were forced ashore, burned and blown up within twenty miles of Santiago; the Furor and Pluton were destroyed within four miles of the port. Loss one killed and two wounded. Enemy's loss probably several hundred from gun-fire, explosions and drowning. About 1,300 prisoners, including Admiral Cervera. The man killed was George H. Ellis, chief yeoman of the Brooklyn.

[Signed] "SAMPSON."

**Effect of the Fleet's Destruction.**

With the Spanish fleet destroyed the way is partly cleared for the advance of the American squadron into the harbor of Santiago. If Cervera's armored cruisers could clear the Merrimac at the entrance to the harbor the American ships can follow the same course. Thus with Shafter's guns thundering on Santiago from the land and Sampson's from the harbor, the fall of the city is assured beyond further question. The authorities here, military and naval, say that Santiago has already made its best fight, and that its occupation is only a question of time, and very brief time.

**Shafter States His Position.**

General Shafter's strong position was shown in a series of dispatches. The one that gave the situation most concisely was to the effect that Shafter had demanded the surrender of Santiago at noon today on pain of bombardment. Thereupon the foreign consuls at Santiago made a joint representaton, requesting that women and children in the city have until today noon to withdraw before the bombardment begins. The Spanish general declined to surrender at the time first set by Shafter. At present a truce exists, pending the expiration of the twenty-four hours asked by the foreign consuls.

The following is the reply of General Tornal, commanding Fourth Spanish corps at Santiago to General Shafter's demand to surrender:

"Sir:—I have the honor to reply to your communication of today, written at 8:20 a.m. and received at 1 p. m., demanding the surrender of ths city; on the contrary case announcing to me that you will bombard this city, and that I advise the foreign women and children that they must leave the city before 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. It is my duty to say to you that this city will not surrender, and that I will inform the foreign consuls and inhabitants of the contents of your message."

### MASTER OF THE SITUATION.

**Shafter Tells That He Can Hold the Enemy for Any Time.**

In another dispatch General Shafter epitomized the strength of his position by saying: "I feel that I am master of the situation, and can hold the enemy for any length of time." In another dispatch General Shafter states that his demand for the surrender of Santiago is still being considered by the Spanish authorities, which indicates that the refusal of the Spanish commander to capitulate was not final. In any event, 12 o'clock noon today marks the limit of Shafter's concession, and if Santiago has not capitulated at that hour the great siege guns, now brought to the front and in position, backed by the batteries of lighter field pieces, will begin their work of destruction.

The present need of reinforcing Shafter is no longer felt, now that the Spanish fleet is out of the way. A considerable number of men, however, are already on the way, and others will follow. The changed naval situation will bring no abatement in the activity of the authorities here in carrying the war directly home to Spain. There is renewed determination to get Commodore Watson's eastern squadron away at the earliest moment, for the double purpose of striking a blow at the coast towns of Spain and of pursuing Admiral Camara's fleet, which has halted at the entrance of the Suez canal. Secretary Long made the official statement yesterday that the fleet would sail at the earliest possible moment.

It has been Acting Admiral Sampson for some time, but that it will be Admiral Sampson in fact as well as in name is the prevailing feeling in naval circles. By a singular coincidence his rank was advanced yesterday to that of commodore, owing to the retirement of Admiral Kirkland.

The release of Hobson and the other heroes of the Merrimac incident is likely to be another result of the events transpiring now. It may now come about either by the surrender of the city, which would include the surrender of Hobson and other American prisoners in the city, or else by the exchange of Hobson for Admiral Cervera or some other high ranking naval official.

### MORE WOUNDED OFFICERS.

**Additional List Containing the Names of Thirty-Three, Two Since Dead.**

Washington, July 5.—A dispatch from General Shafter gives the following names addtional of officers wounded before Santiago: James P. Haskell, lieutenant colonel Seventeenth infantry; Theodore Mocher, captain Twenty-second infantry; D. H. Wells, second lieutenant Sixteenth infantry; H. J. Hawkins, brigadier general United States army; John Robertson, second lieutenant Sixth infantry; L. H. Gross, second lieutenant Sixth infantry; James E. Brett, captain Twenty-fourth infantry; A. R. Seyburn, first lieutenant Eighth infantry; G. H. Ellis, major Thirteenth infantry; W. S. Worth, lieutenant colonel Tenth infantry; R. T. Eskridge, major Tenth infantry; Doc Danforth, acting assstant Sixth infantry; H. C. second lieutenant Sixth infantry; H. C. Egbert, lieutenant colonel Sixth infantry; H. C. Ducat, captain Twenty-fourth infantry; Charles B. Parkhurst, captain Fourth artillery; J. J. Breveton, captain Twenty-fourth infantry; E. H. Liscum, lieutenant colonel Twenty-fourth infantry; James Fernance, captain Thirteenth infantry—since died; Zenas W. Torrey, captain Sixth infantry; E. C. Woodbury, captain Sixteenth infantry; R. E. L. Stence, second lieutenant Sixteenth infantry; A. B. Scroll, first lieutenant Thirteenth infantry; Thomas A. Roberts, second lieutenant Tenth cavalry; George D. Walker, captain Sixth infantry; W. H. Simmons, second lieutenant Sixth infantry; John Bigelow, captain Tenth cavalry; J. H. Hughes, second lieutenant Fourth infantry; J. N. Augustin, second lieutenant Twenty-fourth infantry—since died; H. C. Cavanaugh, captain Thrteenth infantry; —— Lncoln, major Tenth infantry; Henry Lyons, lieutenant Twenty-fourth infantry; Thomas J. Wint, major Tenth infantry.

### DEWEY'S ASSISTANCE ARRIVES.

**Charleston Captures the Ladrone Island Town En Route.**

Washington, July 5.—Admiral Dewey's telegram to the navy department is given out. It is dated Hong Kong, July 4, and Cavite, July 1, and says: "Three transports and the Charleston arrived yesterday. The Charleston captured Guam, Ladrone Islands, on June 21. No resistance. Brought Spanish officers from the garrison—six officers and fifty-four men—to Manila. On June 29 the Spanish gun vesel Leyte came out of a river and surrendered to me, having exhausted her ammunition and food in repelling attacks by the insurgents. She had on board thirty-two officers and ninety-four men, naval and military. [Signed.] DEWEY."

**Sagasta Is Still for War.**

London, July 5.—A special dispatch from Madrid quotes Premier Sagasta as saying in an interview that he thought the Americans would "get the reinforcements they required, which would enable them to take Santiago." The premier is said to have added: "Though the American warships may destroy our squadron in the harbor, yet we will pursue the war. There are in Cuba 100,00 men ready to die in its defense, but they will not yield."

**McKinley Congratulates Sampson.**

Washington, July 5.—The following message was sent to Admiral Sampson yesterday by the president: "You have the gratitude and congratulations of the whole American people. Convey to your noble officers and crew, through whose valor new honors have been added to the Americans, the grateful thanks and appreciation of the nation. [Signed] "WILLIAM M'KINLEY."

**Wisconsin's Second Call Volunteers.**

Camp Douglas, Wis., July 5.—Out of 864 men comprising eight companies of the Fourth regiment Wisconsin volunteers of the second call 145 failed to pass the medical examination. Their places will be filled with new recruits as rapidly as possible. The four companies from Milwaukee arrived here today, together with the light battery.

**War News at Spain's Capital.**

Madrid, July 5.—It is stated here that the Spaniards offered heroic resistance to the American forces which made an attack upon the Spanish outer positions at Santiago. General Vera de Roy, who commanded at Caney, fought with the greatest courage, setting his son an example by leading the advance. It was under similar conditions that General Linares was wounded.

**Bryan's Regiment Celebrates.**

Omaha, Neb., July 5.—Colonel Bryan's regiment and a number of citizens of Nebraska celebrated the Fourth of July and the victory of Sampson and Shafter at Fort Omaha. General Charles F. Manderson was the principal speaker.

**Camara's Fleet Still at Suez.**

Port Said, July 5.—The whole of Admiral Camara's squadron has re-entered the harbor, including the transports. The Spanish torpedo boat destroyer Proserpina and the collier San Augustin have also arrived.

# ELECTRIC ROAD

## South Bend and Benton Harbor To Be Connected.

## The Company Seeking a Franchise at Berrien Springs.

## Road Will Run Through the City of Niles.

## South Bend Capital Will Build the New Road.

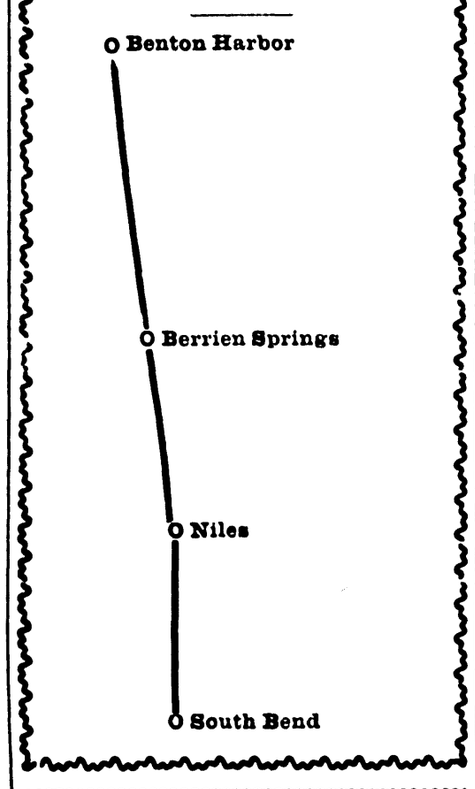
## The Route Selected Will Make the Road 36 Miles Long.

Berrien Springs, July 4.—South Bend will soon be connected with Benton Harbor and St. Joseph by means of an electric railway which will run through the village of Berrien Springs.

South Bend capitalists are at the head of the movement and already they have secured their charter and have begun the work of securing right of way.

The promoters visited Berrien Springs one day last week and appeared before the village council and asked for the right to run their road through this village. President Kephart was

**MAP OF NEW ELECTRIC ROAD**




very favorably impressed with the idea and used his influence to secure the passage of the special grant. Two of the village trustees however opposed the road on the ground that it would kill the business of the village as they believed that people would go to Benton Harbor instead of trading with Berrien Springs merchants.

A special meeting of the village council has been called for tomorrow evening at which time the officers of the new company will appear in person and tell exactly what they will do and be ready to prove that they have the financial backing to build the road and that work will be commenced without delay as soon as the necessary franchise and right of way can be secured.

The water power from the proposed Berrien Springs dam will be utilized to furnish power for running the cars. The power house will of course be erected in this village.

The line of road from South Bend to Benton Harbor will be quite direct and it is expected that the entire length of the line will be a little short of 40 miles, probably just 36 miles. From Berrien Springs to South Bend will be 20 miles and from Berrien Springs to Benton Harbor 16 miles.

## SOLD 1,500.

**Detroit Sunday Free Press Sold Like Hot Cakes.**

The enterprise of P. W. Hall in bringing here 1,500 copies of the Detroit Sunday Free Press was thoroughly appreciated by the people of the two cities.

It cost Mr. Hall more than he received but he has his pay in winning the thanks of the people.

The editor of the Evans City, Pa., Globe writes. "One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It cured my children after all other remedies failed." It cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

**INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM CURED IN 3 DAYS.**

MORTON L. HILL, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had inflammatory Rheumatism in every muscle and joint, her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit until she tried the MYSTIC CURE FOR RHEUMATISM. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by Geo. M. Bell & Co., Druggists, Benton Harbor, 103 Main street.

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To Buffalo, N. Y., July 12, 13, 14, 15, one fare round trip.

To Elkhart, Ind , July 19, 20 and 21, one fare for round trip.

To Saratoga, N. Y., August 1 and 2, one fare for round trip.

To Indianapolis, Ind., August 23, account of K of P encampment, one cent per mile.

To Cincinnati, O., Sept. 5-10. One cent per mile. Account of G. A. R. Encampment.

To Winona Lake, Ind., round trip including admission to park, $2.85.

Home Seekers' excursions July 5 and 19.

One way settlers' rates first and third Tuesday of each month.

To Washington, D. C., July 3 to 6 inclusive One fare plus $2 for round trip.

For further information as to limits of above excursions call on or address L. G. Smith, agent C. C. C. & St. L. Ry., Benton Harbor, Mich.

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The Chicago & West Michigan and Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western lines will sell tickets as follows:

BAY VIEW, MICH.

Camp meeting and assembly. Sell July 11 to 21. Return limit August 20. One fare rate.

BUFFALO, N. Y.

B. Y. F. U. Sell July 12 to 15. Return limit July 19. One fare rate. Limit will be extended if desired to September 1.

CHARLEVOIX, MICH.

Sell July 11 to 21. Return limit August 20. One fare rate.

CHIGAGO, ILL.

Y. P. C. U. (Universalist.) Sell July 12 and 13. Return limit July 21. One fare rate Limit will be extended to August 10 if desired.

LUDINGTON, MICH.

Epworth League camp meeting. Sell July 25 to August 5. Return limit August 15. One fare rate.

NASHVILLE, TENN.

C. E. U. Sell July 2 to 5. Return limit July 15. One fare rate. Limit will be extended to August 1.

OMAHA, NEB.

Trans-Mississippi Exposition. Sell every day until November. Ask agents for rates.

SARATOGA, N. Y.

Y. P. C. U. (Presbyterian.) Sell August 1 and 2. Return limit August 10. One fare rate. Limit will be extended to August 31.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Educational association Sell July 3 to 6. Return limit July 15. One fare plus $2.00. Limit will be extended if desired to August 31.

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Bob Moore, of LaFayette, Ind., says that for constipation he has found DeWitt's Little Early Risers to be perfect. They never gripe. Try them for stomach and liver troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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Omaha, Neb., and return $25.10, and Kansas City and return $24.30, on sale from June 1 to October 15, account Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition.

Cincinnati, Ohio, September 5-10. One cent per mile account G. A. R. encampment.

Indianapolis, Ind. One cent per mile account K. of P. encampment beginning August 23.

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## ALASKA.

Six sleeps in a sleeper from Montreal
And a moon or so from the end of the line,
And you stand at the foot of the great white wall—
That is, white with the snows that fall and fall
O'er the cedar dwarfed and the drooping pine
That grow at the feet of Alaska.

Old and wrinkled and cold and gray,
With her white pall pulled o'er her stony breast,
Frowning and frigid and far away,
She has ever stood, as she stands today,
In the desolate wastes of the wide northwest—
Stands this hoary old woman, Alaska.

Unmolested for thousands of years,
Isolated, remote and lone,
Her hard face glacial with frozen tears,
While over her shoulders and in her ears
The winds of the north land wail and moan
In the ears of old Mother Alaska.

A party of prospectors passed that way,
And they thought the old face had forgotten its frown,
And, pausing, they pulled her white robe away
And found her treasure. "Ah, q'est que c'est?"
Said the French Canadian, kneeling down
At the feet of old Mother Alaska.

They told their story, and men went wild
And pawned their chattels and joined the race.
The old croon jingled her gold and smiled,
And the gold mad men of the world beguiled
With a promise of fortune in that far place
At the feet of old Mother Alaska.

But, oh, the rivers are wide and deep,
And the north wind breathes with a killing breath,
And over the mountains, so rough and steep,
The old dread reaper shall come and reap—
The rime old reaper that men call death
Shall reap the white fields of Alaska!

—Cy Warman in New York Sun.

## A DEBT OF HONOR.

It was at Charing Cross station, where I called to make some inquiries, and I knew her instantly, though she was veiled. She recognized me also and returned my greeting with a warmth which I hoped was not altogether due to the fact that I was able to extricate her from a human eddy in which she was entangled. I forgot all about the time table and turned back, delighted that the rush of the preoccupied crowd around us gave an excuse to keep her little silk gloved hand upon my arm. She had been seeing Cousin Phil and his wife off, she said, and was now, I guessed, returning to the desolate house in Bloomsbury square. The picture called up by the thought was so poignant that I proposed a visit to Westminster abbey. She appeared a shade surprised—I certainly was myself—and then agreed, with a little sigh, which plainly said, "As well there as anywhere else." But once she accepted my companionship by stepping into the hansom I called she made, I could see, a distinct effort to take interest in the multicolored life swirling by.

"The abbey is the first place one thinks of visiting when one is away," she observed, "and yet, when one is at home, it is so near that one keeps deferring the visit from day to day, and I am leaving town tomorrow. Papa meant"— She did not finish the sentence, but added, "It is so kind of you to give your time."

"I am a man of leisure," said I dryly.

"Papa was always in a hurry," she went on, and then stopped again. All roads of conversation led to her father, and death had written "No thoroughfare" across every one.

"Better wear out than rust out," said I considerately, "though the best of us but write their names on water after all. A very consoling reflection for the idlers."

"Yes, if everything ended here," she replied as the cab pulled up and the great gray temple loomed above us.

If time be duration set out by measure, my watch was of opinion that we spent two hours here. My consciousness, however, has nothing definite to say on the matter, "the endurance of all enduring things" not being painfully prominent. Neither do I remember having shone among the tombs. On one thing at least I am quite clear. It is when we came out I was decidedly hungry; so, artfully piloting my charge past a restaurant, I suggested lunch.

Here again a lacuna occurs, for I have no distinct recollection of the earlier stages of the banquet save the other fact that her mode of eating and drinking forced me to make comparisons which would have brought me slowly to my senses had not the unforeseen, which has such a trick of happening, done so with paralyzing promptitude.

Her little hunting watch had run down, but the officious cuckoo belonging to the restaurant clock spoke so plainly that the young girl almost jumped from her chair.

"Oh, Mr. Patterson," she cried, "what shall I do? I was to call upon Mr. Turnbull—he is my guardian, you know—about papa's will at half past 2, and now it is a quarter past."

"Where does he live?" I asked.

"In the city," she replied despairingly, "and, oh, he is so precise, and there may be delays—you don't know him."

I did, having met him in his professional capacity some years before, when I was a witness for the defense.

"We'll drive there at once!" I cried royally, putting my hand in my pocket while she fumbled for her glove. Then an awful fact struck me; my purse was gone. I suppose my consternation got into my face, for I caught the eye of the polyglot waiter fixed upon me. He was tall, and, I doubt not, swift of foot, and as he smiled thinly I could see that he had lost one front tooth and all his illusions. I put my hat on and took it off again. At another time, in another place, the incident would have been merely laughable, but now, with her! I had been so blase, so mildly cynical! Oh, it was unthinkable! I moved toward the counter which was near the door, shadowed by the waiter, who was mentally calling the police, and approaching the lady in charge explained the situation. She was a German fraulein of spotless morals, and she listened calmly to my tale, the cold contempt of a narrow, literal nature glinting in her small eyes. The comedy of the situation did not strike her. She only saw that I had no money. "Dey pay, dose who eat here; dose are de rules," she reiterated, declining even to examine the ring I offered, "as a guarantee of good faith."

The waiter, who had been fielding in the immediate vicinity, advanced and asked me if I had lost anything. I inquired for the proprietor, but by some hideous ill luck he was not accessible. I saw Miss Langton, who had gone to the door, looking back, evidently surprised at the delay. Then the storm burst. The German was impenetrable; the waiter passed rapidly from legitimate doubt to open skepticism as I tendered my card, which was not a trump one, and seeing that we all talked together, the effect was very striking.

"Excuse me," remarked a thin, crisp voice, "it is a little trouble about the bill, is it not? Miss Langton, I shall be with you in a moment. Don't be alarmed."

Of course it was old Turnbull, who ought to have been miles away and had been lunching here all the time instead. I bowed, he looked me in the face, and I understood that he remembered the last occasion on which we had met. I recalled his terrible, "Now, upon your oath, sir," as I stood clutching the edge of the witness stand, a bit of court plaster over one eye.

"You are doubtless aware that Miss Langton is my ward?" he observed when he had appeased the Teuton sphinx.

"I learned it," I replied. "Permit me to congratulate you."

"And you will also learn now," he retorted, shutting his pocketbook with a snap, "that I wish the acquaintance to end here."

"On what grounds?" said I.

"If on no other than that of the present—er—disgraceful scene, I should be justified," he answered, "but I forbid it on—ahem—higher grounds."

Then he began to talk, "as one man of the world to another," about Arbuscula and her sisters. He was illogical, but convincing.

"What is the amount of the bill?" I asked shortly.

He handed me the receipted slip of paper. I put it in my pocket. He smiled sardonically, and gathering up his black bag went out to Miss Langton, while the waiter hailed a cab by whistling through his fingers in a most talented way.

Beyond the glass door I could see Turnbull talking to Miss Langton as she rearranged her veil. Some girls at an adjacent table put their heads together, whispering and tittering. The chariot pulled up at the sidewalk with a flourish, and Turnbull touched Miss Langton's arm. She made a step forward, but looked round and paused irresolutely. I instantly went to her, and taking the little warm hand she gave me pressed it to my lips.

"I am so sorry you were inconvenienced," she said. "If I had only known"—and she actually laughed!

"I shall easily get over the recollection of the inconvenience in the recollection of the pleasure I have had," I replied.

She blushed.

"But why did you not tell me?" she murmured.

"It would have been commonplace," I replied. "I preferred to be a paladin, though a comic one."

"I don't think it comic at all," she replied, trying hard not to smile. "What stupid people!"

"Miss Langton, as this gentleman is rather richer in time than I, perhaps he will excuse us if we economize," remarked Mr. Turnbull. "Here is the cab. Get in, please."

She threw me a bright look and went with him. Recollecting that I was without my hat, I returned for it and found on the ground hard by a little black silk glove. I picked it up, intending to return it, but when I reached the street the cab was already several yards away. Then the lawyer's talk came back to me with diabolical distinctness, and I said to myself that, after all, he was right. I went straight to my bankers', sent him the amount of the bill, answered a perfumed, badly spelled note I had received that morning, locked the glove with the photo away in a drawer and took the next train for Paris.—William Buckley in Black and White.

### Gold Mining In San Francisco.

For over 17 years a gold mine has been worked right in the city of San Francisco. How much gold has been taken out none but the two miners themselves can say. One of them is supposed to be on his deathbed, and the other one disappeared on the day that his partner had to be taken to the hospital and the secret of their mine became generally known to the community.

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### A Feminine Mania.

"They tell me that Blakely is not rich, and yet there is not a day but what the wagon from the jewelers and the merchants stops there."

"That's so. She's one of those women that have things sent home on disapproval."—Detroit Free Press.

### Method In His Madness.

"Why did Briggs try to cover his entire lot with his new house?"

"So he wouldn't have any grass to cut."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.


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BENTON DIVISION, COURT NO. 1, ORDER of Patricians, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmen hall. All visiting Patricians cordially invited.
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B. J. MORRISON, clerk.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Tent, No. 104, meet at Odd Fellows' hall. Regular review every Friday evening.
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R. P. CHADBOOK, F. R. L. N. MURRAY, R. K.

BENTON LODGE NO. 192, I. O. O. F., MEETS every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.
ORA G. BERKEY, N. G.
B. O. JOHNSON, Sec'y.

Marquette Lodge, D. of R., meets every alternate Saturday evening. Mrs. Lizzie Hepler, N G; B. O. Johnson, Sec'y.

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In effect June 19, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.

| Stations | a.m. | a m | p.m. | p m. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Grand Rapids | 2:15 | 7:30 | 3 40 | 6:25 |
| Benton Harbor | 4:32 | 10:53 | 6:05 | 9:40. |
| St Joseph | 4:42 | 11:03 | 6:14 | 9:50. |
| Chicago | 7:20 | 2:10 | 9:05 | ..... |

GOING NORTH.

| Stations. | a m. | p.m. | p.m. | a.m. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 7:20 | 4:15 | 8:45 | ..... |
| St. Joseph | 10:20 | 7:15 | 11:35 | 5:45. |
| Benton Harbor | 10:30 | 7:25 | 11:42 | 5:50. |
| Grand Rapids | 1:25 | 10:30 | 2:00 | 9:10. |
| | p m. | p m. | a.m. | a.m. |

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## VANDALIA LINE

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect June 19, 1898.

SOUTH BOUND

| Stations | No. 3 | No. 7 | No. 15 | No. 17 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Joseph | 10:25 a m | 4:00 p m | 5:20 p m | 6:00 p m |
| South Bend | 11:45 | 5:13 | 6:48 | 7:20 |
| Plymouth | 12:30 p m | 5:57 | 7:33 | 8:10 |
| Logansport | 2:15 | 7:15 | 9:00 | 9:45 |
| Indianapolis | 5:45 | | | |
| Terre H'te. | 6:40 | 11:00 | | |

NORTH BOUND

| | No 16 | No. 14 | No. 20 | No. 6 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Terre H'te. | | | 1:00 p m | 6:17 a m |
| Indianapolis | | | 11:45 a m | 7:10 |
| Logansport | 7:00 a m | 6:05 a m | 4:35 p m | 10:40 |
| Plymouth | 8:24 | 7:34 | 5:57 | 12:08 p m |
| South Bend | 9:10 | 8:20 | 6:39 | 12:53 |
| St. Joseph | 10:30 | 9:35 | 7:45 | 2:15 |

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TIME TABLE.

Effective Sunday, December 5, 1897.

| Going South No. 3 Daily Ex. Sun. p m | No. 1 Daily Ex. Sun. a m | Mls from B. H. | Stations | Going North No. 2 Daily Ex. Sun. a m | No. 4 Daily Ex. Sun p m |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 00 | 7 00 | | Lv Ben. H'rbr Ar | 11 20 | 6 45 |
| *4 16 | *7 14 | 8.2 | Royalton | *11 01 | *6 27 |
| *4 25 | *7 21 | 11.4 | Hinchman | *10 52 | *6 19 |
| 4 42 | 7 33 | 16.5 | Berrien Springs | 10 38 | 6 00 |
| *4 51 | *7 41 | 19.5 | Oakland | *10 26 | *5 50 |
| 5 10 | 8 00 | 27.0 | Ar Buchanan Lv | 10 00 | 5 25 |

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Leave Benton Harbor Sundays—5:50 a m, 9:10 a m, 2:25 p m and 6:05 p m. Leave Paw Paw Lake—8:00 a m, 1:15 p m, 5:00 p m and 9:05 p m.


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# SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

A. D. Youngs, deputy oil inspector, spent the Fourth here.

C. K. Farmer was down town today for the first time in two weeks.

Will R. Shankland spent the Fourth in Sand Lake visiting his parents

Misses Kittie and Cora Wilson, of Chicago, celebrated with their friends here.

Sherman Dilley and Phil Kephart, of Berrien Springs, spent the Fourth in this city.

E. D. Foster and wife, who are spending their vacation in Chicago, were here the Fourth.

Prof. A. C. Cowperthwaite and wife of Chicago were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Freemyer yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff Teft, of Buchanan, was here for the first time yesterday since his long illness.

Miss Ida Blue of Honeoye Falls, N. Y., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vorhees, Brunson avenue.

L. A. Smith and daughter from Chicago spent the Fourth with his brother E. S. Walker and family.

Mrs. R. D. Lapine, son and daughter, of St. Paul, are visiting their cousin, C. T. Morehouse and family.

W. B. Harmon, of Berrien Springs, former register of deeds of this county, spent the Fourth in this city.

Mrs. M. Eisley, Miss Ollie Keeler and Miss Adoie Deisher of Kent, Ill., visited friends here the Fourth.

Miss Carrie Swarts, who has been visiting in Benton Harbor for two weeks will return home to Dixon tonight.

Miss Dee Mills, who has been the guest of friends here for the past week, returned to her home in Grand Rapids today.

William Belyea, wife and daughter, of Grand Rapids, who have been visiting here for the past week returned to their home last night.

T. W. Jones, of Eau Claire, is in the city visiting relatives. Mrs. Jones is quite ill at the home of her brother, Henry Benton, Pipestone street.

Rev. C. P. Birdsey of Albion visited his parents and other friends here this week. Mr. Birdsey was formerly pastor of the M. E. church at Eau Claire.

Dr. Gould of Argos, Ind., and daughter are the guests of the doctor's sister, Mrs. Jether Johnson. Miss Gould is an invalid and is here to receive medical treatment.

Regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors of America in M. W. A. hall tomorrow evening. Every member is earnestly requested to be present as there is business of importance to be considered.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its regular meeting tomorrow at the usual time and place.

The marriage of Miss Ethel Hudson and Hugh O'Connor will occur this evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hudson, Summit street.

The Court of Honor meets tonight at the G. A. R. hall. All members and those interested are requested to attend. The benefit certificates have arrived and members are requested to get them as soon as possible.

### Marriage Licenses.

Charles Conerd, 23, Riverside; Emma Anderson, 17, same.

George Hanover, 23, Buchanan; Anna Kaiser, 23, Weesaw.

Robert H. McNeil, 24, Bridgman, Effie B Ryan, 18, same.

George Shafenburg, 23, Galien, Laura Corey, 27, Colfax.

### Advertised Letters.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in this office for the week ending July 5, 1898:

LADIES

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| Antio, Miss Achimme | Jakeway, Mrs Rhoda |
| Br[illegible], Mrs J N | Mead, Mrs John |
| Bo[illegible], Miss Mable | McGrew, Lillie |
| Coo[illegible] Mrs Mary N | Nichols, Miss Edith |
| Col[illegible] | Parks, Maggie |
| Cra[illegible], Mrs Alice | Patterson, Mrs W |
| Corwin, Mrs Hattie | Reprogle, Mrs Pink |
| Green, Mrs Sam | Sults, Mrs Stella |
| Holbert, Mrs | Spear, Mrs Etta |
| Harper, Miss Kittie | Sixley, Mrs Grace, 2 |
| Hathaway, Mrs Hattie | Straub, Mrs Mary E |
| Jackson, Mrs Jennie | Williston, Mrs Mary |
| Jones, Mrs A M | Williamson, Miss Phene |
| Johnson, Henretta | |

GENTLEMEN

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|---|---|
| Apgar, Mr Ike | Kinsley, Mr Millard |
| Anthony, Mr Edward | Lucas, H H |
| Ames, Mr Charley | Lysaght, John |
| Belmont, Mr Richard | Meabon, H H |
| Cawell, Mr S | Mitchell Sammie |
| Congdon, Mr Geo | Miller, John |
| Camrolly, John J | Mack, Mr G |
| Crawfo d, A J | Muldoon, Mr Thomas |
| Carr, Lewis | Pugh, Mr James |
| C loch, Mr Fred | Phillips, E S |
| De Hart, Roy, 2 | Reese, Capt Henry |
| De Fie d, J B | Rittenhouse, William |
| Dalzell, Dick | Rockwood, Mr Chas H |
| Fittips, F G | Snyder, Mr Louis |
| Garmon, Mell | Sart, Mr M |
| Gill, Mr Will H | Schafer, Joseph |
| Hollis, Mr [illegible]rrin | Sprague, John |
| Holbert, Mr Geo W | Sauage, John |
| Hondas, John C | Sackett, Mr William |
| Hawkins C Chest | Sipe, Mr Ed |
| Hibisby, Mr Joe | Seel, Walter |
| Hardwick, Mr L W | Sebolt, Mr Will |
| Jansen, Mr Julian | Thomas, Mr Geo |
| Kilmer, Mr Julian | Walker, William |
| Kitrington, C | Weaver, N E |
| Kern, Aden | |

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# WET BY A MAJ. 2,089.

## Board of Supervisors Officially Canvass the Result of the Local Option Election.

## COUNTY WILL BORROW $15,000.

### Clerk Needham Again Appointed Purchasing Agent by the Board of Supervisors.

The board of supervisors met yesterday afternoon at the court house and adjourned to meet this morning. At the meeting this morning every member of the board was present. The first matter of business was a petition presented by W. H. Ingleright asking for back pay or a return of the money which he spent in clearing himself of the charge of obstructing the M. B. H. & C. road. The request was denied.

The county treasurer was instructed to borrow not more than $15,000 to meet the expenses of the county.

County Clerk Needham was again appointed purchasing agent for the county.

The board will allow bills this afternoon and adjourn.

The local option vote of last Monday was canvassed with the following result:

Gentlemen—Your committee appointed to tabulate the votes given in Berrien county on Monday, the 27th day of June, 1898, on the proposition of county prohibition, in accordance with the provision of act 207, public acts of 1889, have performed that duty and report as follows:

| | Votes Y's | Votes No | Maj. for | Maj. ag'st |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bainbridge | 111 | 179 | | 68 |
| Bertrand | 62 | 82 | | 20 |
| Berrien | 181 | 85 | 96 | |
| Benton | 175 | 171 | 4 | |
| Benton Harbor, 1w | 17 | 176 | | 159 |
| Benton Harbor, 2w | 163 | 226 | | 63 |
| Benton Harbor, 3w | 143 | 177 | | 34 |
| Benton Harbor, 4w | 76 | 196 | | 120 |
| Buchanan, 1 pr'ct. | 150 | 146 | 4 | |
| Buchanan, 2 pr'ct. | 126 | 131 | | 5 |
| Chickaming | 74 | 54 | 20 | |
| Galien | 92 | 168 | | 76 |
| Hagar | 74 | 72 | 2 | |
| Lake, 1 pr'ct | 54 | 116 | | 62 |
| Lake, 2 pr'ct | 69 | 126 | | 57 |
| Lincoln | 64 | 202 | | 138 |
| New Buffalo | 63 | 197 | | 134 |
| Niles, 1w | 67 | 286 | | 219 |
| Niles, 2w | 39 | 136 | | 97 |
| Niles, 3rd ward | 40 | 160 | | 120 |
| Niles, 4th ward | 35 | 169 | | 134 |
| Niles tp | 67 | 130 | | 63 |
| Oronoko | 224 | 164 | 60 | |
| Pipestone | 141 | 58 | 83 | |
| Royalton | 59 | 151 | | 92 |
| St. Joseph | 51 | 88 | | 37 |
| St. Joseph, 1st w. | 23 | 191 | | 168 |
| St. Joseph, 2nd w. | 50 | 219 | | 169 |
| St. Joseph, 3rd w. | 64 | 136 | | 72 |
| St. Joseph, 4th w. | 49 | 121 | | 72 |
| Sodus | 109 | 48 | 61 | |
| Three Oaks | 109 | 257 | | 148 |
| Watervliet, 1 pr'ct | 125 | 142 | | 17 |
| Watervliet, 2 pr'ct | 118 | 181 | | 63 |
| Weesaw | 87 | 99 | | 12 |
| | 3151 | 5240 | 330 | 2419 |

Net majority against, 2.089.

JOHN F. GARD,
L. HEMINGWAY,
ALONZO F. HOWE,
Committee.


## PIANO SALE.

I have secured a stock of PIANOS and ORGANS from a firm in New York to CLOSE OUT and will offer the same during the next 30 DAYS at less than the manufacturers prices. The stock includes:

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| Steinway | Newby & Evans |
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This famous bone meal which has stood the test of years may be obtained by leaving orders with H. P. Boehm, Benton Harbor, or with the general agent.

tf681 C. H. FARNUM, Hagar.



### Notice.

My photographic studio will be closed from July 9 to 19. All parties who have finished work in the gallery will please call and get the same before July 9. 5t852 J. N. POUNDSTONE.



"I think DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the finest preparation on the market for piles." So writes John C. Dunn, of Wheeling, W. Va. Try it and you will think the same. It also cures eczema and all skin diseases. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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# $110 REWARD.

### It Is Offered for the Arrest of Niles House Breakers.

Niles was visited by a gang of house breakers last Sunday night and Under Sheriff Earl has issued reward cards offering $110 for the return of the articles stolen and the arrest of the thieves.

The robbers visited the home of Dr. S. Belknap and secured a gentleman's hunting case gold watch, a lady's hunting case watch and a pair of spectacles. They next called at the home of Harry Lardner, Jr., and secured one gold watch. The home of David Unruh was also broken into and one open faced watch, one chain and locket, suit of clothes and stiff hat was taken.

Sheriff Ferguson went to Niles this afternoon to investigate.

### "Blackbeard."

Mr. Frank R. Stockton, in his serial, "The Buccaneers of Our Coast," in the May St. Nicholas, says: About this time one of the most famous of sea-robbers was harassing the Atlantic coast of North America, and from New England to the West Indies he was known as the great pirate "Blackbeard." This man, whose real name was Teach, was a terrible fellow in appearance as well as acts. He wore a long, heavy black beard, whihc it was his fancy to separate into tails, each one tied with a colored ribbon, and often tucked behind his ears. Some of the writers of that day declared that the sight of this beard would create more terror in any port of the American seaboard than would the sudden appearance of a fiery comet. Across his brawny breast he carried a sort of sling, in which hung not less than three pairs of pistols in leathern bolsters, and these, in addition to his cutlass and a knife or two in his belt, made him a most formidable-looking fellow. In the early part of the eighteenth century Blackbeard made his headquarters in one of the inlets on the North Carolina coast, and there he ruled as absolute king, for the settlers in the vicinity seemed to be as anxious to oblige him as the captains of the merchantmen were anxious to keep out of his way.

## Excursion Rates for Summer Meetings.

The Chicago & West Michigan and Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western lines will sell tickets as follows:

BAY VIEW, MICH.

Camp meeting and assembly. Sell July 11 to 21. Return limit August 20. One fare rate.

BUFFALO, N. Y.

B. Y. F. U. Sell July 12 to 15. Return limit July 19. One fare rate. Limit will be extended if desired to September 1.

CHARLEVOIX, MICH.

Sell July 11 to 21. Return limit August 20. One fare rate.

CHIGAGO, ILL.

Y. P. C. U. (Universalist.) Sell July 12 and 13. Return limit July 21. One fare rate Limit will be extended to August 10 if desired.

LUDINGTON, MICH.

Epworth League camp meeting. Sell July 25 to August 5. Return limit August 15. One fare rate.

NASHVILLE, TENN.

C. E. U. Sell July 2 to 5. Return limit July 15. One fare rate. Limit will be extended to August 1.

OMAHA, NEB.

Trans-Mississippi Exposition. Sell every day until November. Ask agents for rates.

SARATOGA, N. Y.

Y. P. C. U. (Presbyterian.) Sell August 1 and 2. Return limit August 10 One fare rate. Limit will be extended to August 31.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Educational association. Sell July 3 to 6. Return limit July 15. One fare plus $2.00. Limit will be extended if desired to August 31.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.


The editor of the Evans City, Pa., Globe writes. "One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It cured my children after all other remedies failed." It cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.



### INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM CURED IN 3 DAYS.

MORTON L. HILL, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had inflammatory Rheumatism in every muscle and joint, her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit until she tried the MYSTIC CURE FOR RHEUMATISM. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by Geo. M. Bell & Co., Druggists, Benton Harbor, 103 Main street.



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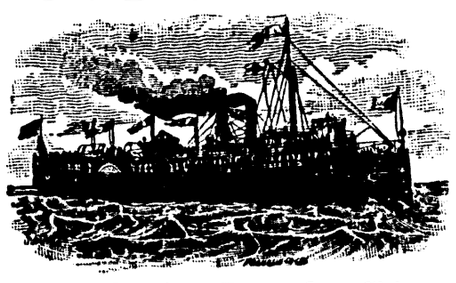

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Linen crash for skirts from 9c to 20c: all new.

Organdie lisse at 12½c.

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Imported Swiss organdies at 17c and 25c.

Ready made linen skirts from $1 to $2.

Tailor made mohair and wool skirts from $1.50 to $4.50.

Suits, capes and jackets, all to close this month. See them while the assortment is good.

The best assortment of shirt waists in the city. See them, the styles and prices are right.

We have a number of short lengths of wool dress goods, just the thing for skirts, to close at about half price.

Our 19c and 25c summer corsets are the best shown for the price.

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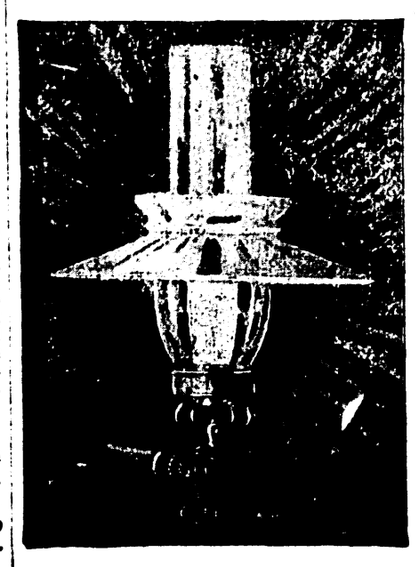

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